

UTILITY APPLICATION

Attorney Docket No.: **WAKAB82.001AUS**

First Named Inventor: **Kazumasa Masuda**

Title: **LIQUID INJECTOR FOR INJECTING CONTRAST
MEDIUM AT VARIABLE RATE INTO A SUBJECT
WHO IS TO BE IMAGED BY IMAGING DIAGNOSTIC
APPARATUS**

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(X) Specification in twenty-five (25) pages.

(X) Drawings in nine (9) formal sheets.

(X) Declaration and Power of Attorney by Inventors in two (2) pages.

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FOREIGN CONTINUITY INFORMATION:

Country	Application No.	Filing Date	Priority Claimed
Japan	2002-281109	09/26/02	Yes

OTHER APPLICATION PARTS:

(X) Recordation form cover sheet and Assignment in 3 total pages (cover sheet & assignment).

(X) Certified copy of priority application (Application No.: 2002-281109, Country: Japan).

(X) Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 in 2 total pages (IDS and 1449).

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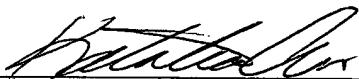
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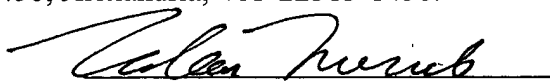
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